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In Re Application of **Method and Apparatus Using** a Multi-Carrier Forward Link Gardner, et al. in a Wireless Communication Serial No. 09/382,438 **System** RECEIVED
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Technology Center 2600 **Group Art Unit: 2665 Filed: August 25, 1999**

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

BOX RFE Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Attention: Daniel J. Ryman, Examiner

Dear Sir:

In response to Office Action dated December 9, 2002, please amend the aboveidentified application as indicated below. This correspondence is filed concurrently with an RCE application in the above-mentioned application for patent.

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